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By the King,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS our Parliament ſtands prorogued to Thurſday the Nineteenth Day of this Inſtant September; We, with the Advice of our Privy Council, do hereby publiſh and declare, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall be further prorogued, on the ſaid Nineteenth Day of September, to Thurſday the Seventeenth Day of October next; and we have given Order to our Chancellor of Great Britain, to prepare a Commiſſion for proroguing the ſame accordingly. And we do hereby further declare our Royal Will and Pleaſure, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall, on the ſaid Seventeenth Day of October next, be held, and ſit for the Diſpatch of divers weighty and important Affairs; And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs of the Houſe of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Weſtminſter, on the ſaid Seventeenth Day of October next.

Given at our Court at Kenſington, the Eighteenth Day of September 1745, and in the Nineteenth Year of our Reign.

GOD ſave the King.

AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 18th Day of *September*, 1745.

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to appoint his Grace John Duke of Bedford to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bedford, his Grace this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, inſtead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

(Price Six-pence.)

Kenſington, September 21.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex, and the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, has been preſented to his Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middleſex: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex, and the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, being thoroughly ſenſible of the many great and invaluable Bleſſings derived to this Nation, by the Succeſſion of your Majeſty's illuſtrious Houſe in the Throne of theſe Kingdoms, beg Leave at this Juncture to renew our Promiſes of Fidelity and Allegiance to your Majeſty, and to expreſs our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the unnatural Rebellion now raiſed by ſome traiterous Subjects, and our Indignation at the daring Attempts of your Enemies to ſupport it.

Your Majeſty's Fatherly Care and Protection of all your People are ſo conſpicuous, that we cannot but wonder how any of your Subjects can be miſled, to give Diſturbance to your Majeſty's juſt and gracious Government, in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender, whoſe only Aim and Intereſt it can be, to overturn and deſtroy the Religion, Laws and Liberties of theſe Kingdoms, and to bring them under the intolerable Yoke of a Foreign Power, and by that Means, with Arbitrary and Tyrannical Sway, inflict upon the unhappy People, all the Miſeries and Calamities of Slavery and Oppreſſion.

For our Parts, we are fully reſolved, as we are bound by many ſacred Ties and Obligations, to maintain and defend, with our Lives and Fortunes,

Fortunes, your Majeſty's undoubted Right and Title to the Crown of theſe Realms; and upon this, and all other Occaſions, we will not fail to give manifeſt Proof of our true Zeal and Loyalty to your Majeſty, and of our ſteady Adherence to the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Majeſty's Royal Family.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants of the Tower Hamlets, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Right Hon. the Lord Cornwallis, &c. being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants of the Tower Hamlets.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants of the Tower Hamlets, beg Leave to congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe Return to your Britiſh Dominions.

We humbly lay hold of this Opportunity to expreſs our Joy on the Succeſs with which it has pleaſed Almighty God to bleſs your Majeſty's Arms in North America.

It is with unſpeakable Satisfaction we ſee the happy Effects of your Majeſty's extenſive Influence, and unwearied Application, in placing the Grand Duke at the Head of the Germanick Body.

By theſe happy Events we have a fair Proſpect of an equal Balance of Power being maintained on the Continent, and of a flouriſhing and encreaſing Trade to theſe Kingdoms.

Permit us, Great Sir, to declare our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the unnatural Rebellion now carrying on in Scotland, in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender.

We readily embrace every Occaſion to renew our Acknowledgments of your Majeſty's right ful and lawful Title to the Crown of theſe Realms; and do aſſure your Majeſty, that we will exert ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Power, to put the Militia of the Tower Hamlets in Readineſs fit for immediate Service; and (excited by Duty and Intereſt) are ready to ſacrifice every Thing that is dear to us, for the Defence of your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon, and illuſtrious Houſe, againſt all Pretenders and Invaders whatſoever.

May your Majeſty's Reign be long, eaſy, and glorious, over a free, affectionate, and happy People, and continued in your Royal Houſe to lateſt Poſterity.

Kenſington, September 18.

This Day the Deputy Steward, High Bailiff and his Deputy, and the Burgeſſes of Weſtminſter, waited on his Majeſty with the following Addreſs; which his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly; and they had all the Honour to kiſs his Majeſty's Hand.

To the King's moſt excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord High Steward, Deputy Steward, High Bailiff, and his Deputy, the Chief Burgeſſes, Burgeſſes, High Conſtable, and Aſſiſtant Burgeſſes, of the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord High Steward, Deputy Steward, High Bailiff, and his Deputy, the Chief Burgeſſes, High Conſtable, and Aſſiſtant Burgeſſes of your City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, moſt humbly beg Leave to approach your Royal Perſon with our ſincere Congratulations on your Majeſty's happy Return to your Britiſh Dominions, and on the glorious Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms in the Conqueſt of the important Iſland of Cape Breton.

The inſolent Attempt carrying on in Part of your Majeſty's Kingdoms, to diſturb the Peace of your Reign, in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender, muſt, we are perſuaded, unite all your Subjects, who have any Regard to their Religion or Liberty, in the firmeſt Reſolution to ſupport your Majeſty, and the Succeſſion to the Crown in your Illuſtrious Houſe, as the only Means to ſecure to them and their Poſterity the invaluable Bleſſings they now enjoy. And we do, in the moſt ſolemn Manner, declare our utter Abhorrence of the wicked and traiterous Deſigns of your Majeſty's Enemies, and that we are ready, at the Hazard of our Lives and Properties, to oppoſe this and all other Attempts againſt your ſacred Perſon and Government.

May your Majeſty's Reign be long and proſperous over a free and grateful People, truly ſenſible of the Felicity they enjoy under your Majeſty's mild and gracious Government: And may we be ever bleſſed with one of your Royal Houſe to ſit upon the Throne of theſe Kingdoms.

Given under our Common Seal, in the Town-Court-Houſe in Weſtminſter, this 18th Day of September, in the Nineteenth Year of your Majeſty's Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of the City of Exeter, having been tranſmitted by John Hawker, Mayor of Exeter, to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries

taries of State, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of the City of Exeter.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of your City of Exeter, in Chamber aſſembled, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne with our ſincereſt and moſt joyful Congratulations on your Majeſty's ſafe and happy Arrival among your Britiſh People, and on the great Succeſs with which it hath pleaſed the Divine Providence to crown your Majeſty's Arms in America, by the Conqueſt of Cape Breton.

The inexpreſſible Advantages which will be perpetually accruing to theſe Kingdoms, from the Poſſeſſion of ſo valuable an Eſtabliſhment, in the Enlargement of our Commerce, the Security of our Poſſeſſions, and the Increaſe of our Naval Force, as they will be every Day rendering more and more conſpicuous the Wiſdom of your Councils in Projecting, and the Glory of your Arms in Executing the Reduction of this moſt important Fortreſs; ſo they afford us the juſteſt and moſt ſolid Foundation for that full and entire Confidence with which we rely on your Majeſty's experienced Goodneſs, and unwearied paternal Care for the Welfare and Proſperity of your People, that every proper Meaſure will be taken to ſecure effectually to this Nation, the perpetual Enjoyment of this invaluable Acquiſition.

We beg Leave alſo to expreſs to your Majeſty our moſt unfeigned Deteſtation of that unnatural Rebellion, lately broke out in the Northern Part of this Iſland, in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender to your Crown. We ſet too high a Value on our Religion, Conſtitution, Liberties and Laws; we have had too long an Experience of that favourable Protection they have always received from your Majeſty's juſt and mild Government; and we know too well how inſeparably they are united with the Succeſſion of your Majeſty's Family to the Crown of thoſe Kingdoms, not to exert our utmoſt Efforts, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, in the Support and Defence of your Majeſty's Perſon, Crown and Government, as well againſt the Pretender and his Family, as againſt all other Invaders and Diſturbers of the Peace of this Kingdom.

And we doubt not, but that with the Divine Bleſſing on the Juſtice of your Cauſe, your Majeſty's known Wiſdom and Fortitude, ſeconded by the Hearts and Hands of a Free People, will with Eaſe cruſh this impotent Attempt; and convince our inveterate Enemy, that 'tis not from among your Majeſty's Subjects, united to your Majeſty by all the Ties of Gratitude, Affection and Intereſt, that he can with Reaſon hope to form a Diverſion to thoſe generous Cares, which have hitherto given a Check to that reſtleſs and inſatiable Ambition, which ſets no Bounds to its Views, and threatens half Europe with its Fetters.

Given under our Common Seal this 13th Day of September, in the Nineteenth Year of your Majeſty's Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Berwick upon Tweed, having been tranſmitted by Joſeph Watſon, Eſq; Mayor of Berwick, to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Berwick upon Tweed.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Berwick upon Tweed, in Guild aſſembled, with the greateſt Sincerity congratulate your Majeſty on your ſeaſonable and happy Return to your Britiſh Dominions; at a Time, when your inveterate Enemies Abroad, and rebellious Subjects at Home, have enter'd into a moſt deteſtable Conſpiracy, to deprive your Subjects of the beſt of Kings, of their Religion and Liberties, to introduce Popery and Slavery, to overturn our preſent happy Conſtitution, and deſtroy the Balance of Power in Europe.

Give us Leave, Sir, to aſſure you, that we ſhall on all Occaſions manifeſt our Loyalty by our Actions, and contribute all in our Power to render abortive their pernicious and traiterous Deſigns; ſhall be ſteady in our Duty to our Country, in Support of your Majeſty's Rights, and the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal Houſe: The united Zeal of all true Britons in the ſame glorious Cauſe, muſt ſoon convince your Enemies how vain the Attempt is, to ſhake a Throne founded on the Intereſt and Affections, and ſupported by the Hands of a Free, a Brave, and a Grateful People.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor and Burgeſſes of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull, having

having been tranſmitted by George Crowle, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor and Burgeſſes of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Burgeſſes of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull, beg your Majeſty would be graciouſly pleaſed to accept our ſincere Congratulations upon your Majeſty's ſafe Return to theſe your Kingdoms; and alſo upon the glorious Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms, in the Taking the Iſland and Forts of Cape Breton.

At this critical Conjuncture, when an Invaſion is made upon your Majeſty's Dominions by the Son of the Pretender, and a Rebellion is ſtirred up, and already begun in Scotland in his Favour, we think there is an indiſpenſible Obligation upon all your Majeſty's faithful Subjects, to make an open and hearty Profeſſion of their Fidelity and true Allegiance to your Majeſty; that the Enemies to your Majeſty, and to the Welfare of this Nation, may, in ſome Meaſure, be diſcouraged from perſiſting in their raſh and perfidious Deſigns. We therefore humbly beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty of our moſt unſhaken Obedience and Loyalty to your ſacred Perſon, and of our ſtedfaſt Zeal to ſupport, to the utmoſt of our Power, in our reſpective Stations, your Majeſty's juſt and undoubted Title to the Crown of theſe Realms, againſt all your open and ſecret Enemies. And we hope, and ſhall ever pray, that the ſame good Providence, which hath for many Years made us happy in the peaceable Enjoyment of our Rights, Laws and Liberties, under your Majeſty's juſt and mild Adminiſtration, will ſtill continue to protect your Majeſty; and notwithſtanding the ſecret Machinations and audacious Attempts of your Enemies, enable you, after a long and happy Reign, to tranſmit your Crown down in your own Royal Family to the lateſt Poſterity.

Given under our Common Seal, the 13th Day of September, in the Nineteenth Year of your Majeſty's Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons and Citizens of the City of Dublin, having been tranſmitted by his Excellency the Earl of Cheſterfield, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons and Citizens of the City of Dublin, in Common Council aſſembled.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons and Citizens of the City of Dublin, in Common Council aſſembled, beg Leave to congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe Arrival in Great Britain.

At this Time our Prayers are moſt ardent for the Preſervation of your Majeſty's Perſon, when a Popiſh Pretender, urged by the ambitious Views of Foreign Powers, has attempted to ſtir up a Rebellion in your Majeſty's Dominions.

An Attempt, which, if attended with Succeſs, muſt end in the utter Extirpation of the Proteſtant Religion, and the total Deſtruction of our Property.

We, who acknowledge the Bleſſings which we enjoy under your Majeſty's moſt juſt and mild Government, and bound not only by Gratitude but Intereſt, preſume, on this Occaſion, to aſſure your Majeſty of our firm and inviolable Loyalty, and of our determin'd Reſolution to expoſe our Perſons and Fortunes in the Defence of your Majeſty's undoubted Right to the Crown, and in the Support of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Majeſty's illuſtrious Houſe.

In Teſtimony whereof we have cauſed the Common Seal of the ſaid City to be hereto affixed, this 13th Day of September, 1745.

The following Addreſs of the Governor, Aſſiſtants, Wardens, and Fellowſhip of Merchant Adventurers of the Town and County of the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Lord Tankerville, privileged Lord of the Bed-Chamber, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Governor, Aſſiſtants, Wardens, and Fellowſhip of Merchant Adventurers of the Town and County of the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, beg Leave moſt humbly to congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe Return to theſe

theſe your Kingdoms, as alſo on the glorious Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms in America; which we doubt not but will be a ſafe Protection to the Trade of this Nation, and a conſtant Bar to the treacherous Deſigns of the Enemies of your Majeſty and the Britiſh People.

At this Time, when your Kingdom of Great Britain is actually invaded by a Popiſh Pretender to your Crown, ſupported by the French, the known Advocates of Arbitrary Power, it is the Duty of all your faithful Subjects to diſtinguiſh their Allegiance to your Majeſty; among the moſt faithful of which, we teſtify our utmoſt Deteſtation of all Deſigns, by whomſoever form'd, that may diſturb your Majeſty in the peaceful Poſſeſſion of your undoubted Right to theſe your Dominions, and the happy Eſtabliſhment in your illuſtrious Houſe, in Defence of which we ſhall chearfully exert our utmoſt Efforts, being ſenſible all that is dear and valuable to us depends upon it.

Our daily Prayers and Wiſhes are, that your Majeſty's Arms may be bleſſed with Succeſs; that your Enemies may be driven back with Shame and Confuſion, and that the Crown of theſe Realms may flouriſh on your Majeſty's Sacred Head and your lateſt Poſterity.

Given under our Common Seal the 11th Day of September, One thouſand ſeven hundred and forty-five.

Kenſington, September 20.

This Day the Rev. Mr. Preſcot, Maſter of Catherine Hall, and his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, High Steward of the Univerſity of Cambridge, attended by ſeveral Heads of Houſes, Doctors in the ſeveral Faculties, Maſters of Arts, and other Members of that learned Body, waited on his Majeſty in their Formalities, with the following Addreſs.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Chancellor, Maſters and Scholars of the Univerſity of Cambridge.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Chancellor, Maſters, and Scholars of your Univerſity of Cambridge, humbly beg Leave to expreſs our unfeigned Joy upon your Majeſty's ſafe Return to your Britiſh Dominions.

The unnatural Rebellion lately broke out in Favour of a Popiſh Abjur'd Pretender, encouraged and ſupported (as there is the greateſt Reaſon to apprehend) by a Foreign Power, is an Attempt, which we cannot but look upon with the utmoſt Abhorrence; and we deſire moſt faithfully to aſſure your Sacred Majeſty, that we will conſtantly endeavour, by all the Means in our Power, to defeat the wicked and traiterous Deſigns of thoſe, who aim at the Subverſion of your Majeſty's Government, and conſequently of our Laws, our Liberties, and our Religion.

As we are truly ſenſible theſe invaluable Bleſſings can only be preſerv'd to theſe Kingdoms by the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal Houſe, we eſteem it our indiſpenſable Duty to inſtil Principles of Loyalty and Obedience to your Majeſty, into all thoſe who are committed to our Care, and to form them to an early Attachment to our preſent happy Conſtitution in Church and State.

May your Majeſty's Counſels and Arms prevail to the ſecure Eſtabliſhment of the Liberties of Europe; may you Triumph over your Enemies at home and abroad; and may you long continue to reign over a free and happy People.

To which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I Thank you for this loyal and affectionate Addreſs: The Abhorrence you expreſs, for the Attempts to overturn our excellent Conſtitution in Church and State, is not only very agreeable to me, but muſt greatly tend to confirm my People in Principles of Duty and Affection to my Government.

The following Addreſs of the Chancellor, Maſters and Scholars of the Univerſity of Oxford, having been tranſmitted to his Grace the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty; Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE the Chancellor, Maſters and Scholars of the Univerſity of Oxford, with the profoundeſt Humility, beg Leave, on this trying Conjuncture of Affairs, to repeat the Aſſurances of our inviolable Attachment to your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon and Government, and to expreſs our warmeſt Indignation againſt all Attempts to diſturb it.

An Invaſion in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender, animated with the Hopes of Aſſiſtance from the Power of France or Spain, is reflected upon with uncommon Abhorrence by thoſe, whoſe Studies peculiarly lead them to know, that the Religion to be introduc'd by this intended Change, is founded in Abſurdity and the groſſeſt Superſtition.

But we truſt, Great Sir, that the ſame good Providence, which has hitherto preſerv'd the Proteſtant Religion in theſe Kingdoms, will continue it to us ſafe under your Majeſty's

mild and auſpicious Government; and that thoſe Enemies, who are not to be prevailed upon by gentle and gracious Means, or the Obligation of the moſt ſolemn Engagements, will ſoon fall before your juſt and victorious Arms.

And, as we are encouraged from a late happy and important Event, principally owing to your Majeſty's Wiſdom and the Influence of your Counſels, permit us, Sir, to add our moſt ſincere and hearty Prayers, that the preſent Diſtractions may ſoon end in a general and laſting Peace, and that your Majeſty may paſs the Remainder of your Days in Tranquillity and Joy, undiſturbed by Contention Abroad, or Sedition and Rebellion at Home; and that you may deliver down the Scepter of this brave and loyal Nation to your flouriſhing and illuſtrious Houſe, to be rul'd by the ſame good Principles of Liberty and Religion, which have been the Stability of your Majeſty's Throne, and which will, by the Bleſſing of Almighty God, continue it in your Auguſt Family to the lateſt Poſterity.

Given in our Houſe of Convocation, the 17th Day of September, in the Year of our Lord 1745.

The following Addreſs of the Archbiſhop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Dioceſe of Canterbury, has been preſented to his Majeſty by his Grace the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Archbiſhop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Dioceſe of Canterbury.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Archbiſhop, Dean and Chapter of your Cathedral and Metropolitical Church of Chriſt Canterbury, and the Clergy of this Dioceſe, beg Leave to expreſs our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the Rebellion already raiſed in your Kingdom, and of the Invaſion with which we are threaten'd in Favour of an unjuſt Pretender to your Throne.

The Happineſs we enjoy under your Majeſty's auſpicious Reign, can receive no Addition from any Change; but the Miſeries, evidently conſequent on that now projected, fill us with Horror and Indignation. We are ſenſible how much the Safety of our Reformed Religion depends upon your Majeſty's Government, and we have experienced how conſtantly it has been the Object of your Royal Care. We ſhould therefore be in the higheſt Degree unwiſe and ungrateful, if we willingly ſubmitted to any other Protector of it than your Majeſty. Strong muſt be the Deluſion of thoſe, who can think a Bigot to the Church of Rome will become a good Defender of our Faith, or that a Proteſtant People can be ſafe under a Popiſh Prince. The Emiſſaries of that Communion have been unwearied in their Endeavours to re-eſtabliſh their Corruptions among us; but the Labours of your faithful Clergy have watch'd over and preſerved the Doctrines of the Reformation.

The united Attempts of our foreign and domeſtick Enemies, tend equally to extinguiſh the Profeſſion of our Holy Religion, and by the Introduction of an Arbitrary Power, to deprive us of our Laws and Civil Liberties. By your Majeſty's Protection, under the Divine Providence, we are preſerved in the full Enjoyment of theſe invaluable Bleſſings; and every Motive of Intereſt, Gratitude and Duty obliges us, both as Members of a free Government, and as Miniſters of the Church of England, to exert our utmoſt Efforts in Defence of your ſacred Perſon and Crown.

The following Addreſs of the Biſhop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Dioceſe of Worceſter, having been tranſmitted to his Grace the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury, has by him been preſented to his Majeſty: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Biſhop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Dioceſe of Worceſter.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

TO permit your dutiful and faithful Subjects the Biſhop and Clergy of the Dioceſe of Worceſter, to join the general Voice of a loyal and grateful People, in the heartyeſt Congratulations upon your Majeſty's ſafe and welcome Return to your Britiſh Dominions.

All your Majeſty's Subjects are ſo nearly concerned in every Danger to your Royal Perſon, and every Attack upon your Government, that we muſt beg Leave, in the warmeſt Manner, to expreſs our utter Deteſtation of a Rebellion now wickedly excited in this Kingdom, unnatural to the higheſt Degree, and at a Juncture moſt favourable to the implacable Enemies of our Country, in their injurious Views upon our holy Religion, Liberty, and important Rights: A Rebellion as void of all Foundation or Pretence in its Origin, as deſtructive, in its Conſequences, of every Bleſſing a Free and Proteſtant Nation can enjoy.

Your happy Subjects, Sir, fully convinced by long Experience, need not now the Confeſſion of

of your Majeſty's and their Enemies (which are always the ſame) to demonſtrate the great and manifold Benefits of a Government ſo wiſe, ſo mild, and legal: Had there been Room for further Proof, the ſtrongeſt Evidence ariſes from this impious and daring Attempt, headed by a natural born Subject of the Pope of Rome, the deluded Son of an abjur'd Pretender, ſubſtituted and ſupported by the envious Rival of our Proſperity, and conſtant Projector of our Ruin, the perfidious, bloody, and ambitious Power of France.

The Preſervation and Subſiſtence of our happy Conſtitution, and the Enjoyment of all our Rights, both Eccleſiaſtical and Civil, are ſo inſeparably united with the Support of your Majeſty's Government, that were it poſſible for us ever to forget our Duty to your ſacred Majeſty, or be unmindful of your conſtant Royal Care and Protection, a juſt Regard to that excellent Proteſtant Church in which we miniſter, the perpetual Mark of Popiſh Fury, would oblige us to continue our zealous Endeavours, by Example and Inſtruction, to encourage the moſt affectionate Loyalty; and offer up our fervent Prayers, that all your Enemies may fall before you, be cloath'd with Shame and Diſappointment, and for the Happineſs of Britain, and the Preſervation of the whole Proteſtant Intereſt, your Majeſty's auſpicious Reign may be ſucceſsful, long, and glorious.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Chamberlain, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Common Council of the City and County of Canterbury, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Mark Thorne, their Mayor, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Chamberlain, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Common Council of the City and County of Canterbury, in Burghmote aſſembled.

WE your Majeſty's moſt loyal and obedient Subjects, beg Leave, with all Humility, to congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe Arrival in Great Britain, and the Succeſs of your Arms in America; and at the ſame Time to expreſs our utmoſt Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the Attempt now carrying on by ſome of your diſobedient and rebellious Subjects, in Favour of the Pretender to your Majeſty's Crown.

The Settlement and Continuance of the Crown in your Illuſtrious Houſe, we rely on as the only Security of our Religious and Civil Rights: Poſſeſt with this Sentiment, we offer your Majeſty our moſt ſincere Aſſurances, that no Dangers ſhall deter us, nor any Artifices divert us, from being inceſſant in our Endeavours to ſupport your Government, and to defeat the Deſigns and Practices of all your Enemies.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall of the ſaid City, the 17th Day of September, in the Nineteenth Year of your Majeſty's Reign, 1745.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff and Common Council of the Town and County of the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Lord Tankerville, privileged Lord of the Bed-Chamber, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff and Common Council of the Town and County of the Town of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, in Common Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, beg Leave to preſent our moſt ſincere Congratulations on your Majeſty's ſafe Return to your Britiſh Dominions; which, though at all Times is a Matter of great Joy to your faithful People, yet muſt be ſo in an extraordinary Degree at this Time, when this your Kingdom is actually invaded by the Power of France, the conſtant Enemy of this Nation, in Aid of a Pretender to your Crown: But we truſt the ſame good Providence, that hath ſo often guarded your Majeſty and the Britiſh People, will now bleſs your Arms with Succeſs, and ſupport and defend your Majeſty in the Poſſeſſion of the Throne of theſe Realms, and the happy Eſtabliſhment in your Royal Houſe; That can be the only Means to preſerve to us the many Bleſſings we now enjoy under your Majeſty's moſt gracious Government, the free Exerciſe of our Religion, the Security of our Liberties, and the Preſervation of our Trade and Property.

As the Situation of this Place expoſeth us to an early Attack, we think it our Duty to aſſure your Majeſty, that our utmoſt Care and Vigilance ſhall be uſed to preſerve this Town in a ſteady Attachment to your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon and Government, and that we ſhall, on all

all Occaſions, exert ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Power in Defence of your Majeſty, againſt all your Enemies.

We moſt heartily rejoyce on the great Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms in America, and that the like Succeſs may always attend your Majeſty's conſtant Endeavours for the Glory and Honour of this Nation is our daily Prayer and moſt ardent With.

Given under our Common Seal the 11th Day of September, One thouſand ſeven hundred and forty-five.

The following Addreſs of the Corporation of Nottingham, has been preſented to his Majeſty by John Plumtree, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Corporation of Nottingham.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Council of the Town and Corporation of Nottingham, humbly beg Leave to expreſs our ſincere and unfeigned Joy for your Majeſty's ſafe Arrival in your Britiſh Dominions, after the great Fatigue and Hazard to which your Majeſty's unwearied Zeal for the publick Good has expoſed your ſacred Perſon, in order to concert ſuch Meaſures Abroad, as may beſt ſecure the Happineſs of Europe in General, and of theſe Kingdoms in Particular: And we do moſt heartily congratulate your Majeſty upon the happy Succeſs, which has already attended your Majeſty's wiſe and powerful Endeavours to exalt to the Imperial Dignity, the Great Duke of Tuſcany; one whoſe Inclinations and Intereſt muſt diſpoſe him, and whoſe Power may enable him, in Conjunction with your Majeſty, effectually to oppoſe the ambitious and dangerous Schemes of the grand Diſturbers of Europe.

The Reduction of Cape Breton by your Majeſty's Forces, is an Event which demands our moſt grateful Acknowledgments, as it does not only diſtreſs and weaken our declared Enemies, but may be a great and laſting Means of extending the Trade and Commerce of your faithful Subjects; the Importance of which to theſe Kingdoms cannot more fully appear, than by the great Care, which your Majeſty's long experienced Goodneſs has taken to promote and to protect them.

It fills us with the greateſt Abhorrence, to find there are any Perſons in theſe Kingdoms ſo unworthy of the many and great Bleſſings we have ſo long enjoy'd under your Majeſty's mild and gracious Government, as to join with the avow'd Enemies of our Religion and Liberties, in order to advance a popiſh and abjured Pretender to your Majeſty's Throne. The ſame Loyalty and Affection to your ſacred Perſon, which ſo lately deterr'd them from putting in Execution the like bold and deſperate Deſigns, ſtill reign in the Hearts of all true Engliſhmen, and will ſtill, we doubt not, be a ſufficient Security againſt all theſe Enemies to our Happineſs. We do moſt humbly aſſure your Majeſty, that we will forthwith, and with the utmoſt Diligence, obey your Majeſty's Command, by putting the Laws in Execution againſt Papiſts, reputed Papiſts, and Nonjurors, being dangerous to your Majeſty's Government; and will do all other Things in our Power, which may be of Service to your Majeſty and the Publick, at this critical Time. And ſince our reſtleſs Enemies have again preſumed to renew their wicked and traiterous Deſigns againſt your Majeſty and your Royal Family, we hope it will not be thought unſeaſonable, that we again endeavour to convince them of the Folly and Madneſs of their Undertaking, by joining with the reſt of our Fellow-Subjects, in declaring our firm and unanimous Reſolution, at the Hazard of all that is dear and valuable to us, to ſupport your Majeſty's Perſon, and the Government, as by Law eſtabliſhed; the Continuance of which in your Majeſty's Royal Proteſtant Houſe, is the only Means, under God, of ſecuring to ourſelves the uninterrupted Enjoyment of our Civil and Religious Liberties, which has long render'd this Nation the Glory and the Envy of the World.

Given under the Corporation Seal, the 16th Day of September 1745.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgeſſes, Gentlemen, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of New Windſor in the County of Berks, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Hon. Sidney Beauclerk and Henry Fox, Eſqrs. their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgeſſes, Gentlemen, and other Inhabitants of your Majeſty's Borough of New Windſor in the County of Berks.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, &c. beg Leave to con-

congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe and happy Return to your Britiſh Dominions, and on the Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms in the Reduction of the Iſlands and Forts of Cape Breton.

We are too ſenſible of the many and great Benefits and Advantages we at preſent enjoy, and of the certain and fatal Conſequences that muſt enſue, ſhould the Enemies of our happy Conſtitution ſucceed in their preſent Deſigns in Scotland againſt your Majeſty's moſt ſacred Perſon and Government, (in Favour of a popiſh and abjured Pretender) not to do every Thing in our Power to detect, diſappoint and puniſh ſo daring and dangerous an Attempt.

And we crave Leave to renew our Aſſurances of our inviolable Duty and Attachment to your Majeſty, and that we ſhall be ready at all Times to ſacrifice all that is dear and valuable to us, in Support of your Majeſty's moſt ſacred Perſon and Government, and in Oppoſing all ſuch wicked and deſtructive Schemes.

That your Majeſty may enjoy a long and proſperous Reign over a free and happy People, are the hearty and ſincere Prayers, and ſhall be the conſtant Endeavours of your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects and Servants. Given under our Hands the 17th of September 1745.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole, Dorſetſhire, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Joſeph Gulſton, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole, Dorſetſhire.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole, humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majeſty on your ſafe Return to your Britiſh Dominions, and of the Succeſs of your unwearied Zeal and Application during your Abſence, in Support of the common Cauſe, to preſerve a Balance of Power in Europe, and diſappointing the ambitious Views of your perfidious Enemies, by the Elevation of the Grand Duke to the Imperial Dignity.

We farther beg Leave to congratulate your Majeſty on the Succeſs of your Arms in the important Conqueſt of Cape Breton; a Conqueſt of ineſtimable Advantage to this Nation by its Situation and Trade; by the Acquiſition of which, our Enemies valuable Commerce to all North America is rendred very precarious, if not impracticable; and by the Poſſeſſion of which, the Britiſh Settlements and Trade in thoſe Parts are protected and ſecured.

Your Majeſty will permit us to expreſs our utmoſt Deteſtation and Abhorrence, at the daring Attempts of the Pretender's Son and his Adherents; and to aſſure your Majeſty of our inviolable Attachment to your ſacred Perſon and Government; of our Perſeverance in our Duty at this critical Juncture. That we are ſenſible of the Difference between that horrid Monſter Popery, and its inſeparable Attendant Slavery, and the Religion and Liberties we ſo fully enjoy under your Majeſty's Protection; and are fully convinced, that every Thing that is dear and valuable to us as Engliſhmen and Proteſtants, depend on the Preſervation of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, and the Succeſſion of your Royal Houſe to the Crown of theſe Realms; which we will, with the greateſt Zeal and Affection, endeavour, to the utmoſt of our Power, to ſupport and maintain.

Given under the Common Seal of the ſaid Town and County, the 16th Day of September, in the Year of our Lord 1745.

Hague, Sept. 28, *N. S.* The ten Engliſh Battalions, that have been detached from the Army, have marched with ſuch Speed, five Days ſucceſſively without reſting, that they are all expected at Willemſtad To-morrow; and will probably be under Sail before the End of this Week; as it is ſuppoſed the Second Dutch Diviſion is now. The News from the Low Countries talk of the French having reſolved to beſiege Ath and St. Ghilani at once. Prince George of Heſſe ſet out for Guelderland this Morning. Count Maurice of Naſſau goes over to England with this Mail.

Whitehall, September 21.

The Rebels left Perth the 11th, and marched that Day to Dumblain, twenty Miles; the next Day they march'd only two Miles, to Down; and on Friday the 13th they paſſed the Forth at the Fords of Frews, five Miles above Stirling: They then ſeemed to direct their March towards Glaſgow; but on the 14th in the Morning they turned Eaſtward, and marched by Falkirk, towards Edinburgh; and when the Letters of the 16th came away, they were within a few Miles of that City.

On the 16th in the Afternoon, Brigadier Fowkes marched to Preſtonpans, ſix Miles Eaſt of Edinburgh, with two Regiments of Dragoons, in order to join Sir John Cope, who was juſt arrived from Aberdeen, where he had embarked, and was then making a Diſpoſition to land the Troops under his Command at Dunbar, eighteen Miles Eaſt of Edinburgh, the Wind not being then fair to carry the Tranſports up to Leith.

By Letters of the 18th, the Rebels had taken Poſſeſſion of the Town, and proclaimed the Pretender there on the 17th.

General Gueſt, who commanded at Edinburgh, had retired into the Caſtle, where the

Publick Offices and the Inhabitants had ſecured their moſt valuable Effects; and General Cope being joined by the two Regiments of Dragoons, was on his March the 18th towards Edinburgh.

Whitehall, September 21.

On Tueſday laſt arrived in the River from Holland the three Battalions of Herſler's Swiſs Regiment of Foot; as did Yeſterday the three Battalions of Foot of Holſtein Gottorp, Villetts and Patot, together with four Companies of Brackell's Battalion of Foot.

London, Sept. 14, 1745.

John Earl of Stair, &c. Field Marſhal and Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in South-Britain, does hereby declare, that it is his Majeſty's Intention, that any Man, who ſhall voluntarily engage in his Majeſty's Service, in any of his Regiments of Horſe, Foot or Dragoons, ſhall be diſcharged from the Service at the End of two Years, to be reckoned from the Day of his Liliſting, and that this Declaration ſhall extend to all ſuch as ſhall engage between the Day of the Date hereof, till the firſt Day of January next to come. STAIR.

By his Excellency's Command,
Ro. Keith.

War-Office, September 6, 1745.

His Majeſty, having thought fit to augment the Four Battalions of Foot Guards doing Duty at home, is pleaſed to order that the Sum of Six Pounds, Bounty Money, ſhould be paid to each Man five Feet ſeven Inches high, or upwards, without Shoes, and under 30 Years of Age, who ſhall inliſt with any Officer, belonging to the ſaid Regiments of Guards, or with any Officer of Horſe, Dragoons, Foot or Marines in Order to ſerve in the Guards, and ſhall be approved by them as able-bodied Men, on or before the 24th of this inſtant September; the ſaid Bounty Money with Subſiſtence from the Time of their enliſting reſpectively to be paid on their Arrival on the Parade, in St. James's Park, London; And that the Sum of Four Pounds Bounty-Money ſhall be paid to each Man who ſhall inliſt to ſerve in the Regiments of Guards, anſwering the above Deſcription after the ſaid 24th Inſtant, and before the 1ſt of October next. This publick Notice is hereby given of theſe his Majeſty's Commands, that the proper Officers, and all Perſons concerned, may govern themſelves accordingly.

By his Majeſty's Command,
Will. Yonge.

General Poſt-Office, Auguſt 24, 1745.

Whereas the Communication with Flanders, by the Way of Oſtend, is interrupted, and for the preſent at an End; Publick Notice is hereby given to all Merchants and others whom it may concern, That as their Letters for the ſeveral Parts and Provinces of the Auſtrian Netherlands are now, of Neceſſity, to be forwarded by the Way of Holland, it will be moſt proper for them to incloſe their Letters and Packets, or recommend them to ſuch as may be their Friends or Correſpondents in Holland, from thence to be forwarded to the Places they are deſigned for in the Netherlands aforeſaid; as alſo that it will be moſt ſafe and convenient for them, that the Anſwers, in Return to their ſaid Letters, ſhould be ſent under Cover to Holland, to be forwarded from thence to this Office.

But in regard to the Correſpondence with the Army; all Perſons are hereby to take Notice, That their Letters, directed for any Perſon or Perſons in the ſame, will be received at this Office, and from hence forwarded to the Army, in the Manner hitherto obſerved, a proper Method of conveying the Army Letters directly from hence, having been ſettled by the Way of Holland, in Conformity to the Uſages in regard thereto, during the Wars of King William and Queen Anne.

By Command of the Poſt-maſter General,
George Shelvocke, *Sec.*

Victualling-Office, Sep. 19, 1745

Whereas the Hopewell Sloop of Limington, Robert Newman, Maſter, laden with Flour, Iron Hoops, Butter, Cheeſe and Hops, at this Office, for the Supply of his Majeſty's Stores at Plymouth, was chaſed aſhore on the 7th Inſtant near Beachy Head in Suſſex, by a French Privateer: The Commiſſioners for Victualling his Majeſty's Navy, give Notice, that if any Perſons who have ſaved any of his Majeſty's Proviſions or Stores out of the ſaid Sloop, will forthwith bring and deliver them to the Collector of the Cuſtoms at Newhaven, or Charles Harriſon, Eſq; of Seaford in the ſaid County, they ſhall be allowed Salvage for the ſame. But as the ſaid Commiſſioners are determined to proceed with the utmoſt Severity of the Law againſt ſuch Perſons as may conceal or embezzle any of the Cargo of the ſaid Veſſel, they do alſo hereby promiſe to any Perſon or Perſons that ſhall diſcover to the ſaid Charles Harriſon, Eſq; at Seaford, or to the Collector of the Cuſtoms at Newhaven, where any Part of the Cargo of the ſaid Veſſel, which has been carried from her, is concealed and ſecreted, a Reward of Ten Pounds per Cent. upon the Value of the Goods that ſhall be ſo diſcovered, which Reward will be paid by the ſaid Charles Harriſon, Eſq; or the Collector of the Cuſtoms at Newhaven.

London, Sep. 21, 1745.

A General Court of the Company of Proprietors of the Undertaking for Recovering and Preſerving the Navigation of the River Dee, will be held at their Office in St. Swithen's lane near London Stone Cannon Street, on Thurſday the 10th of October next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order for Electing a Chairman and Committee for the Year enſuing.

St. Leger Phillips, *Sec.*

South Sea Houſe, London, Sep. 19, 1745.

The Court of Directers of the South Sea Company give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the Old South Sea Annuities will be ſhut on Friday the 27th Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Wedneſday the 23d of October following: And that the Warrants for the Half Year's Intereſt due thereon at Michaelmas next, will be ready to be delivered and paid to the Proprietors on Thurſday the 31ſt of the ſaid Month of October.

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ARE faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round t, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They ire of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

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TO be peremptorily ſold, by the Aſſignees under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt William Porter, of Wandſworth in the County of Surry, Builder and Chapman, for the Life of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Wedneſday the 16th of October next, between the Hours of Twelve and Two, at the Spread Eagle in Wandſworth, Five Freehold Cloſes of Meadow Ground lying near Wimbledon-Lane in the ſaid County, now lett at 25 l. per Annum. Likewiſe the Bankrupt's Intereſt in ſeveral Leaſehold Meſſuages, ſituate in or near Wandſworth aforeſaid. Enquire for further Particulars of Mr. Tho. Owen, at his Houſe in Cary-ſtreet.

THE Creditors of William Kenyon, late of Scarborough in the County of York, Mercer and Draper, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Monday the 7th of October next, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Jack's Coffee-houſe in King-ſtreet, Cheapſide, London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees bringing any Action or Actions, either in Law or Equity, for the Recovering any Debt or Debts that are due and owing to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE joint and reſpective ſeparate Creditors of John Anthony Rocher, Peter Laplerre, and Samuel Rocher, of Spital-ſquare, in the Liberty of Norton Falgate, in the County of Middleſex, Merchants and Partners, are hereby deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts, under the Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded againſt them, on the 2d of October next, at Five in the Afternoon, at the King's Arms Tavern in Lombard-ſtreet, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from a Propoſal to be then and there made by the ſaid Aſſignees, that the joint and reſpective ſeparate Eſtates of the ſaid Bankrupts reſpectively may be added and blended together, and the neat Proceed thereof be equally divided and diſtributed by the ſaid Aſſignees amongſt the ſaid Bankrupts joint and reſpective ſeparate Creditors, according to the Amount of each Creditors Debt, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Thomas Goodwin, of Feltham in the County of Middleſex, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 21ſt of September inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 9th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time (for Alexander Dick, of London, Merchant, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects) for 49 Days, to be computed from the 28th of September inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 16th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Henry Wallbanck, now or late of the Pariſh of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middleſex, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects, for 18 Days, to be computed from the 17th of September inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 5th of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Nicolas Wiel, late of Topſham in the County of Devon, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th and 24th of October next, and on the 2d of November following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Thomas Atkey, call'd Atkey's Coffee-houſe, ſituate in the Serge Market in the City of Exeter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams, in Exeter.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Yates, of Manchester in the County of Lancaſter, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 21ſt and 22d of October next, and on the 2d of November following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of the Widow Dickenſon, known by the Name or St. Ann's Coffee-houſe in Manchester, aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Day, of Coggſhall in the County of Eſſex, Shopkeeper and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 24th of September inſtant, on the 4th of October next, and on the 2d of November following, at Three in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Stanyford, Attorney, in Friday-ſtreet, London.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Doyly Stevens, of Worceſter Place, London, Cornfactor, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Doyly Stevens hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 12th of October next.

THE under-mentioned Perſon claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of inſolvent Debtors, the following Notice has been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and is herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January, 1742, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, that ſhall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Binford, late of Willand in the County of Devon, Serge-maker.

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